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## Lincoln Radiology Oncology Center proposes to acquire a linear accelerator

**RALEIGH** – Lincoln Radiology Oncology Center has filed an application with the Certificate of Need Section of the N.C. Division of Health Service Regulation to develop a \$5.7-million cancer treatment center in Lincoln County.

A public hearing for this project will be held at 1 p.m. on July 16, in Room 125 of the Gaston College Lincoln Campus at 511 S. Aspen St., Lincolnton.

Lincoln Radiology Oncology proposes acquiring one of three linear accelerators at Gaston Memorial Hospital, replacing it with a newer model, and moving the new linear accelerator to Lincolnton. Linear accelerators use high voltage radiation to destroy cancer cells

Any person may file written comments concerning this proposal. Comments must be received by the Certificate of Need Section no later than July 1 at the following address:

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